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### The Daily Standard.

Friday, March 29, 1872.

Whitewashing.

The Colonist, true to its natural instincts, has assumed the unenviable task of whitewashing Messrs. McCraight & Co., and the disposition they have made of the public revenues. We are not at all surprised that the member for Nanaimo should see in the financial policy of the Government much to admire. Straws show which way the wind blows, and the admiration which the hon. gentleman bestows upon the Cabinet for what he is pleased to term their administrative ability, indicates that the district which he represents in the House is not the one in which his own personal interests lie. He admits that Victoria and Nanaimo have been dealt by very unfairly, but seeks to excuse the fault by magnifying the difficulties in the way of apportioning the revenues in a spirit of impartial justice, although the Cabinet had endeavored so to do, and, as he pretends to believe, had "been singularly successful." So far as Victoria is concerned, the Government have been "singularly successful" in giving her the go by, and lavishing the lion's share of the monies at their disposal upon other and more fortunate districts. Not less Nanaimo or Comox, New Westminster City or District been very much more fortunate than Victoria in this respect. We fail to see that the Government have earned for themselves the credit of having fairly and impartially appropriated the monies at their disposal, and if we have misrepresented them, as the Colonial asserts, we should like it to point out in what particular. If we did not say all we might have said when the Estimates were first brought down to the House, it was, because we were in hope that e'er they finally passed, what we conceived to be an oversight in making no provision whatever for Victoria City, would be rectified by the insertion of such a sum therein as it was fairly entitled to, in common with other districts, for carrying out such public improvements as the health and comfort of the citizens require. Had we felt disposed to give the Government a facious opposition, we might easily have availed ourselves of opportunities given us to do so; but we have been actuated by no such feeling. In every instance where we deemed the Administration entitled to credit, we have accorded it freely, and have never by any system of secret scheming sought to undermine or weaken their influence, as some others have done whom it scarcely necessary we should name. All that our contemporary has said of the very unfair treatment Victoria has received at the hands of the Government, we fully endorse; and how, in the face of its own showing, it can accuse us of acting unjustly towards them, we are at a loss to understand. The Premier of the Government is the son or member for this city, and if he had not been unparabolically oblivious to his duty, and forgetful of the interests of those to whom he is indebted for the position he occupies, he never would have permitted the Estimates to be sent down to the House without a dollar appearing upon them for public improvements in his own district. Suppose Mr. Walkem and his colleagues had treated the District of Cariboo in a like neglectful manner, who would their constituents have said? Would they have endorsed the statement of the Colonist that they had "been singularly successful in this respect?" We shan't say. Long ere this every valley and hill and mining camp throughout the whole district would have been made to ring with complaints and denunciations against them for having deceived their constituents and betrayed the sacred trust which a too confiding people had committed to their charge; and we question very much if when they returned to their mountain homes they would not find the political atmosphere of the place very much too hot for them. We hope most sincerely when the Supplementary Estimates come down that "justice will be done" to Victoria. In that way the Premier will be afforded an opportunity of setting himself right before his constituents, and of showing that in becoming Attorney General he has not forgotten that he is also a representative of this city in the Legislature. Having, when Mr. Beaven introduced his Bill to "release the city Traders Licenses from the grasp of the Provincial Government," gone with the multitude against it, the Attorney General justly incurred the displeasure of many of his warmest friends and supporters; and unless he takes occasion to redeem his somewhat tarnished reputation by the introduction of a sum upon the Supplementary Estimates adequate to the wants and what is fairly due the people of this city, no amount of whitewash that the Colonist can bestow upon him will be sufficient to save him from that public condemnation which he has earned for himself by a culpable neglect of duty.

Memory presides over the past. Fell's Coffee over the present. The first lives in a rich temple hung with glorious trophies, and lined with tombs, but Fell's Coffee has but one shrine and that is every breakfast table. Its rooms walk the earth like a spirit and are to be found for sale at every respectable dealer in British Columbia. Beware of spurious imitations.

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### New Advertisements.

**Victoria Assemblies.**  
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## The Daily Standard

Friday, March 29, 1872.

**DEATH.**  
On the 25th inst., Mr. Abner H. Francis, aged 50 years, died at his place from his late residence, Queenston, at 2 o'clock, Friday afternoon. Friends are invited to attend.

Buffalo, N. Y., and Portland, O., papers please copy.

's this city, on the 28th inst., Marie, wife of F. H. Cole, Esq., in her 38th year.

**PROVINCIAL ASSEMBLY.**

THURSDAY, March 28, 1872.

The House met at 2 o'clock, p.m. Present—The Hon. The Speaker and twenty-three.

**IMMIGRATION.**

Mr. Robson presented the report of the Select Committee on Immigration.

Mr. Davies said he had been placed upon the Immigration Committee, and it was understood there was no report, so far as he could ascertain. There was something strange about the matter. He didn't even hear a word of the present report read—except "immigration."

Mr. Robson said he cited him, members to appear, but he overlooked the name of Mr. Beaven. Yesterday the Chief Commissioner called Beaven, and he was under the impression Mr. Beaven had been notified. He was sorry for the irregularity, as for not hearing the report read, his voice was not in condition this morning, and there was a buzz in the House at the time.

Mr. Beaven said he reported only because the thing occurred before.

The Speaker said this was irregular.

Mr. Robson again explained his position on immigration.

The Clerk then read the report, which is as given in another column.

Report adopted, 10 to 3.

**BILL.**

Leave was granted the Hon. Attorney General to introduce the following bills; some of which were read a first time; second reading on Tuesday next: The Appointment of County Court Judges Act, Supply Appropriation Act, Births, Deaths and Marriages Act, the Road Ordinance Extension Act, Telegraph Regulation Extension Act.

**THE GRAVING DOCK.**

Mr. Cogan asked the Hon. Chief Commissioner the following question: Is it the opinion of the Tenders for the construction of the proposed Graving Dock at Esquimalt, that an additional guarantee is to be offered by the Dominion Government, if it is the intention of this Government to bring down a bill for that purpose this session?

The Chief Commissioner in reply said he could hardly answer the question; but of course the guarantee, if required, would come after the completion of the work; as to the bill, the one at present before the House is to meet the requirements of this, as well as other public purposes.

Mr. Beaven also asked the Hon. Chief Commissioner if, in answer to the advertisement of the Government, in respect to a first class Dry Dock at Esquimalt, any tenders have been supplied? and if so, their terms, and whether it be the intention of the Government to take any steps towards the immediate construction of the dock?

Hon. Chief Commissioner in reply stated that one tender had been received, and was not very satisfactory, the whole matter would probably be laid before the House on Tuesday or Wednesday next.

**CONSTITUTION ACT.**

Hon. Attorney General on Tuesday next would ask leave to bring in a bill to amend the Constitution Act.

**SOURCES.**

Mr. Smith on Tuesday next would ask if it is the intention of the Government to make it the duty of the Receiver General to pay of Spanish Arm in order to ascertain the cost of a wagon road; also, to ask the Chief Commissioner if in bringing down to the House the Supplementary Estimates it is the intention to make an appropriation to construct a bridge over the Cowichan River.

Mr. C. Booth gave notice of a bill to amend the 30th and 37th Sections of the Crown Lands Act.

**A VISITOR.**

Miss Miles here presented her petition No. 2; the Sergeant at Arms graciously waited upon the young lady, and he said her petition would be attended to to-morrow.

Miss Miles—What petition? I am not petition—I demand justice in the name of law and order. Terrible!

Mr. Speaker gently hinted to the messenger to remove the irregularity, and the irregularity withdrew.

**PUNISHE JUDGE BILL.**

House in Committee on this Bill, Mr. Smith in the Chair.

The bill is given in another column.)

In reply to a question of a member as to Section 2, the Attorney General said the salary is fixed by the Dominion Government.

The bill passed without dissent.

The Committee rose and reported the bill complete. Report was agreed to, and the bill was read a third time and passed.

**WATER BILL.**

The House went into Committee on the Water Bill, Mr. Hughes in the Chair.

On a former occasion we gave a synopsis of this bill.

Mr. Smith asked to have some information on the subject.

Members of the Select Committee on the subject replied, giving the details of the manner the interest on the sum of \$150,000 was intended to be raised, viz.: tax of \$5 per year on every man resident of the city, charge of \$10 on each household into whose premises water was introduced, and a tax on real estate.

Clauses of the bill up to No. 8 passed without amendment.

Mr. Bawer moved amendment to clause 9, as to the penalty upon any person trafficking in water obtained from any pipe belonging to the Municipal Council, in a sum not less than \$50 and not exceeding \$100, which was carried.

The Hon. Colonial Secretary moved an amendment to clause 10, that it shall be lawful for the Lieut. Governor to authorize the issue of debenture to the extent of \$120,000.

Mr. Bawer would move that the figures be \$150,000.

The Hon. Colonial Secretary's amendment was carried.

Mr. Davies moved an amendment to clause 12, to the effect that the sum payable on the debenture, and the sinking fund, be paid out of the general revenue of the Province instead of by taxes on estate, etc.

A lengthened discussion took place on this amendment which was not over at 6 o'clock, the hour for adjournment; at that hour on motion of Mr. Robson, the Committee rose and reported progress; and asked leave to sit again.

**IMMIGRATION.**

Mr. Robson gave notice he would move the address be presented to the Lieut. Gov. praying that a bill be sent down to the House based on the report of the Immigration Committee.

The House then adjourned until Tuesday at 2 o'clock p.m.

Perfection Lodge No. 2, belonging to a new order of Masonry,—an Olympia paper mill, was organized in the capital of W. T. on Monday evening last. The officers for the year were installed, and the ceremonies from the opening to the close were impressive and interesting.

For NANAIMO.—The Emma and Discovery left for Nanaimo yesterday morning at daylight.

The House of Assembly has adjourned until Easter Tuesday.

## Omineca Official Report.

Return to an address of the Legislative As-  
sembly, for a report from the Gold Commis-  
sioner on the Omineca District.

Mr. O'Reilly to the Colonial Secretary:—

Victoria, March 21, 1872.

Sir,—I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter, calling upon me for a report on the Omineca District, together with any suggestions as to the best means of facilitating communication with the same, and the amount I require for tenders leading to that country for the ensuing season.

In reply, I would beg leave to refer to my letter of the 23rd October (already in your hands) for a general report on the subject.

The population at that time exceeded 1,500, of whom about 800 were employed in mining, and, judging from the number of claims that were worked to advantage at the close of last year, I am of opinion that 800 to 1,000 men will return there this season.

With regard to the request that I would offer a suggestion as to the means of facilitating communication, and the amount necessary for that purpose, I would venture to say that I do not, as an unprofessional, feel competent to give any definite opinion on the particular lines of communication, and the amount required to carry them out; nor can I think that my opinion on these subjects would be of much practical value; but I am convinced that it is highly important that both the route from the Coast, via the Skeena River, and the trail from Quesnel to Omineca, should be completed as early as possible, and that a sufficient sum for the purpose should be placed at the disposal of the agent of the Government selected to carry out these works.

(Signed) P. O'REILLY.

Here follows letter addressed to me, and which appeared in the Standard about three months since; the following is a resume.

The Germanen Creek mines failed to realize the expectations formed in the early part of the season; several companies, however, were preparing to test the hills on the upper portion of the creek during the winter. The Commission of Survey was enabled to report more favorable results of Mansen Creek and tributaries; it was recommended that an additional guarantee is to be offered to the miners.

Several divers were being constructed on the latter and on Slave, on the benches of which considerable gold had been found, and there was no hesitation in saying these diggings were sufficiently established to justify belief that they would afford profitable employment to a large number of men for years to come.

On Mansen River the greater portion of the 800 had been spent in working the face diggings in the bed of the stream, which is expected this year.

The object of which was to procure funds to build a parsonage, the incumbents of which are expected to be appointed to over \$400.

Rev. Mr. Pollard of this town was present.

He preached on Sunday, the 24th, and said the lightship at Fraser-mouth will be removed on completion of the Point Grey lighthouse.

A cricket club is to be formed at New Westminster. The Hope will leave for Yale this morning. The Guardian says

potatoes are worth 3 cents a lb. in that city.

There is a defect in the shaft of the Undar, and a new one is to be manufactured.

(Signed) P. O'REILLY.

The Douglas got in to her wharf from Nanaimo and Cowichan, half an hour after the Enterprise, yesterday. She had about a dozen passengers, of whom were the following:

Mr. and Mrs. Perkins, Mr. and Mrs. Hayward, Mr. and Mrs. Dyer, Mr. and Mrs. Lambkin, Mr. Storey, some bay, chickens, etc., were also brought down.

She was loaded with tons of coal from the Duasur mine.

On the way up she took two cows from Cowichan and landed them at the 'bore'; one from Maple Bay to Nanaimo. The Isabel would leave yesterday afternoon with coal, and to tow down the Aurore coal laden from Nanaimo.

Captain Ferrell was sent to town for some time, returning to his boat on horse-back, the Nanaimo River, the current carried the animal off its legs, the supplies were lost, and but for the aid of two men, who risked their own lives, the boy also would have perished. This is only an instance among the many, of the necessity of a bridge over this river.

(Signed) P. O'REILLY.

MAINLAND.—Mr. Geo. Armstrong, it is said, has lost a number of his cattle which were wintering on the Sumas. Peach trees are in bloom at N. W. There was a "social" in the Methodist Church at Sumas on Friday last, the object of which was to procure funds to build a parsonage, the incumbents of which are expected to be appointed to over \$400.

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THE SURVEY.—Mr. Trutch's party, to resume survey work, will leave by the next Enterprise. We regret in common with everyone we have met, that Mr. R. H. Umphrey's services as head of a last year's party should have been dispensed with. Yesterday he was no longer required. The geographer has been most efficient and arduous in his duties, and had given every satisfaction to those above and below him, in his late capacity. Mr. Dewdney, we understand, will take his stead.

(Signed) P. O'REILLY.

FROM THE MAINLAND.—The Enterprise Capt. Swanson, arrived at four o'clock yesterday afternoon from New Westminster with a lower country mail, express, and 20 passengers; the following were among the number: Mrs. Dickinson, Mrs. Oppenheimer, Mr. Pollard, Capt. Haynor, Messrs. E. Brown, C. Lee, A. Fisher, J. Lawrence, P. Barclay, Sharpe, Boutin, Dickson and Hobart.

(Signed) P. O'REILLY.

FROM THE SOUND.—The steamer North Pacific, Capt. Starr, arrived yesterday afternoon at noon o'clock, with thirty-seven passengers.

She will leave this morning at four o'clock. Messrs. Stanford and Hickin, and Mr. Reynolds had a consignment of mutton from the Sound.

(Signed) P. O'REILLY.

FROM THE INLET.—The steamer Grappler arrived yesterday morning from Burrard Inlet, having towed down the ship Gunboat from the Hastings Mill. The ship was cast off in the Straits and proceeded on her voyage to Shanghai.

(Signed) P. O'REILLY.

THE ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.—In consequence of today being Good Friday, the goods of the above will not be on view until to-morrow morning, when catalogues will be issued.

(Signed) P. O'REILLY.

MRS. COPPERMAN is suing Mr. Dobrin in the court, at Olympia. Both formerly belonged to this city and had had some business transactions, from which the present suit arises.

(Signed) P. O'REILLY.

LAKE SALES.—Large sales of flour, &amp;c., took place yesterday, dealer's stocks being very low, pending the adoption of the Exchange Rates.

(Signed) P. O'REILLY.

VICTORIA ASSEMBLY.—The last Assembly of the season will take place at the Exchange Rooms, on Wednesday evening next.

(Signed) P. O'REILLY.

TROUT and salmon fishing has commenced in the harbor. A salmon weighing 50 lbs. was taken yesterday.

(Signed) P. O'REILLY.

## Miscellaneous Advertisements.

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